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of

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NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the year ending

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TOWN OFFICERS

PAUL D. KING	Moderator
RUTH E. BURT	Town Clerk
CHARLES H. ALDRICH	Treasurer
ARTHUR S. CHRISTIAN	First Selectman
GLENN E. BRITTON	Second Selectman
CHARLES M. MOORE	Third Selectman
LAWRENCE J. JOHNSON	Trustee of Trust Funds
ALBA W. ATHERTON	Trustee of Trust Funds
CHARLES H. ALDRICH	Treasurer, Trustee of Trust Funds
DONALD A. PAINE	Constable
ROGER L. BRIDGEMAN	Auditor
OSCAR W. BILLINGS	Auditor

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Westmoreland in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Westmoreland on Tuesday, the Fourteenth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To hear the reports of agents and auditors and take any action thereto.
4. To see if the Town will vote to apply for State Aid for State Road Construction and raise and appropriate the sum of \$843.00. (State Contribution \$1,686.00) or vote for Class V assistance for Class V Roads and raise and appropriate the sum of \$525.05. (State Contribution \$2,100.20). If S. R. A. is voted it must be expended on the River Road.
5. To see if the Town will vote for snow removal and sanding or either on Class V or VI Roads or take any other action relating thereto. Raise and appropriate money for the same.

6. To see what sum of money in addition to what is required by law the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Highways and Bridges.

7. To see if the Town will vote to apply Calcium Chloride or any other dust laying material to any of the gravel section of the Class V roads and raise and appropriate money for the same.

8. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to be used as maintenance on part of the black roads in Town, formerly taken care of by the State but now is to be cared for by Town.

9. To see what sum of money if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate in addition to what was voted at March meeting of 1938, under Article 12 to repair the Starkey bridge so called.

10. To see if the town will vote to relocate the southeasterly end of the road situated on the east side of the common running from Ellen Cobb's home to the meeting house, so that it will run due south beginning in front of, and parallel to the house formerly owned by C. L. Aiken, for a distance of ninety feet, thus eliminating eighty feet of additional road.

11. To see what sum of money if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for disposal of sewerage at Town Hall.

12. To see what sum of money if any the Town will raise and appropriate for upkeep for cemeteries, etc.

13. To see if the Town will vote to rescind or amend the vote taken on Article 12 of 1937 Town Warrant or take any other action relating thereto.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 (to be matched by equal amount of State funds) to purchase fire equipment for fighting Forest Fires.

15. To see what sum of money if any the town will vote to raise and appropriate or borrow or take any other action relating thereto, for purchasing fire fighting apparatus.

16. To see what action the town will take relative to down timber and building in Barker Park. To raise and appropriate the money for the same.

17. To see what sum of money if any the Town will vote to borrow and use in order to obtain State or Federal funds.

18. To see what disposition the Town will vote to make of the income of the Jothan Lord fund.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$100.00 for the support of Library.

20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for white pine blister rust control in co-operation with State Forestry and Recreation Department.

22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60.00 to the Monadnock Region Association of Scenic New Hampshire for issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town, in cooperation with the other thirty-seven towns in the Monadnock Region.

23. To see what action the Town will take in regard to real estate taken over by the town for non-payment of taxes.

24. To transact any other business to come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

ARTHUR S. CHRISTIAN,
GLENN E. BRITTON,
CHARLES MOORE,
Selectmen of Westmoreland.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ARTHUR S. CHRISTIAN,
GLENN E. BRITTON,
CHARLES MOORE,
Selectmen of Westmoreland.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year Feb. 1, 1939 to Jan. 31, 1940
Compared With

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year Feb. 1, 1938 to Jan. 31, 1939

SOURCES OF REVENUE

From State:

Interest and dividends tax,
Insurance tax,
Railroad tax,
Savings bank tax,

Actual Revenue Previous Year 1938	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1939	Increase	Decrease
\$222 38	\$222 38		
1 06	1 06		
544 42	100 00		\$444 42
217 36	217 36		

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From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Business licenses and permits,
Rent of town hall and other buildings,
Interest received on taxes,
Assets of 1937, logs,
Motor vehicle permit fees,

1 80	1 80		
20 00	20 00		
441 33	441 33		
12 94			
799 04	799 04		

SOURCES OF REVENUE

From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:

(a) Poll taxes,

(b) National bank stock taxes,

Amount Raised by Issue of Notes:

Cash on Hand (Surplus),

Total revenues from all sources except property taxes,

Amount to be raised by property taxes,

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1938	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1939	Increase	Decrease
(a) Poll taxes,	290 00	290 00		
(b) National bank stock taxes,	20 00	20 00		
Amount Raised by Issue of Notes:	2,500 00			
Cash on Hand (Surplus),	256 45			
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Total revenues from all sources except property taxes,	\$5,326 78	\$2,112 97		
Amount to be raised by property taxes,		\$22,961 29		

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year Feb. 1, 1939 to Jan. 31, 1940

Compared With

Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year Feb. 1, 1938 to Jan. 31, 1939

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries,
Town officers' expenses,
Election and registration expenses,
Expenses town hall and other town bldgs.,

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department,
Fire department,
Legal expenditures,

Health:

Health department, including hospitals,
Vital statistics,

Highway and Bridges:

Fuller hole, solvay, black road, tar road,
Town maintenance,

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1938	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1939	Increase	Decrease
	\$798 00	\$1,048 00	\$250 00	
	485 06	635 35	150 00	
	156 35	50 00		\$106 35
	728 98	600 00		128 98
	196 40	250 00	54 40	
	60 00	500 00	440 00	
	22 00	35 00	13 00	
	3 00	10 00	7 00	
	8 00	10 00	2 00	
	2,005 07	1,400 00		605 07
	2,476 29	2,476 29		

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1938	Estimated Expenditures Ensnring Year 1939	Increase	Decrease
Street lighting,	123 33	120 00		3 33
General expenses of highway department,	305 19	300 00		5 19
Sanding and snow removal,	1,030 90	3,000 00	1,970 90	
Starkey bridge,	797 69	400 00		397 69
Libraries:				
Libraries,	30 00	30 00		
Public Welfare:				
Town poor,	29 93	100 00	70 03	
Old age assistance,	451 20	700 00	248 80	
Charity gift fund,	307 24	307 24		
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and other celebrations,	3 78	5 00	1 22	
Aid to soldiers and their families,	23 09	50 00	26 91	
Recreation:				
Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts,	5 00	5 00		
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries,	15 00	75 00	60 00	
General miscellaneous acct.,	92 61	100 00	7 39	
Monadnock Region Assoc.,	60 00	60 00		

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES			
	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1938	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1939	Increase Decrease
Interest:			
On temporary loans,	400 00	400 00	
On long term notes,	83 33	123 33	40 00
On principal of trust funds used by town,	313 31	313 31	
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:			
Highways and bridges:			
Town's share T. R. A.,	307 77	525 05	
New road at C. C. F.,	73 17		
W. P. A.,	454 58		
Indebtedness:			
Payment on principal of debt:			
(b) Long term notes,	1,500 00		
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:			
State taxes,	1,116 00	1,116 00	
County taxes,	1,921 27	1,921 27	
Payments to school districts,	6,295 45	6,295 45	
Total expenditures	\$22,678 99	\$22,961 29	

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY FOR 1938

Polls, 352.

Real estate, resident,	\$291,990 00
Real estate, non-resident,	183,175 00
Electrical distribution,	20,850 00
Horses, owned by residents 80,	5,990 00
Horses, owned by non-residents 2,	100 00
Mules, owned by residents 6,	265 00
Oxen, owned by residents 13,	875 00
Cows, owned by residents 674,	34,425 00
Cows, owned by non-residents 2,	90 00
Neat stock, owned by residents 85,	3,620 00
Sheep, resident 106,	3,030 00
Hogs, resident 21,	350 00
Fowls, resident 7,360,	7,360 00
Fur bearing animals, resident 16,	130 00
Portable mills, resident 3,	1,400 00
Portable mills, non-resident 1,	200 00
Wood and lumber owned by residents,	100 00
Wood and lumber owned by non-residents,	3,550 00
Gas pump and tanks taxed to residents 30,	
Gas pump and tanks taxed to non-residents 1,260	
Stock in trade, resident,	2,200 00
Stock in trade, non-resident,	300 00
Machinery,	1,500 00
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Total valuation,	\$562,940 00
Exempt soldiers and soldiers widows resident,	\$3,325 00
Exempt soldiers and soldiers widows non-resident,	800 00

Male dogs,	65
Female dogs,	8
Spayed dogs,	18

ASSESSMENT OF 1938

State tax,	\$1,116 00
County tax,	1,921 27
Town officers' salaries,	950 00
Town officers' expenses,	380 00
Election and registration,	175 00
Expense of town hall,	600 00
Legal expenses,	35 00
Police Dept., including tramps,	250 00
Fire,	250 00
Health,	10 00
Vital statistics,	10 00
Town poor,	100 00
Old age assistance,	700 00
Memorial Day,	5 00
Parks,	5 00
Public Service,	120 00
Interest on temporary loans,	400 00
Interest on long term notes,	180 00
Interest on trust funds used by town,	313 31
Highways by law,	1,407 35
Highways by vote,	2,100 00
Railings,	150 00
General highway fund,	250 00
Painting bridges,	250 00
Class V T. R. A.,	523 64
Starkey bridge,	1,500 00
Cemeteries,	75 00
Library,	20 00
Monadnock region,	60 00
River Road wash out,	600 00
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	\$14,856 57

Less estimated income:

Railroad tax,	\$660 00	
Savings bank tax,	210 00	
Interest and dividend tax,	190 00	
Insurance tax,	1 00	
Auto tax,	700 00	
National bank tax,	20 00	
Hall rent,	20 00	
Poll tax,	702 00	
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		\$2,503 00
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		\$12,353 57
		7,113 34
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School assessment,	\$19,466 91	
Previous road note,	1,500 00	
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		\$20,966 91
At March meeting 1938 the town voted to borrow the amount so as tax rate would not exceed \$33.00 per thousand amount to be borrowed,	2,750 00	
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		\$18,216 91
Overlay,	360 11	
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Amount committed to collector,	\$18,577 02	
Rate \$3.30.		

Projects for which money was borrowed:

Starkey bridge, care of old tar roads, Fuller wash-out, preparing and tarring one mile of road below C. C. Farm. And solvay for balance of river road.

SCHOOL ASSESSMENT

Support of schools,	\$7,304 25
Salaries of district officers,	150 00
Truant officer,	10 00
Supt. excess salary,	280 00
\$2.00 per capita tax,	308 00
Tuitions,	2,900 00
Electric light fixtures, East Westmoreland,	65 00
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	\$11,017 25
Income from state,	3,903 91
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	\$7,113 34

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, IN
CHESHIRE COUNTY

For the Fiscal Year Ended January 31, 1939

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date, Feb. 1st, 1939.

ARTHUR S. CHRISTIAN,
GLENN E. BRITTON,
CHARLES M. MOORE,

Selectmen.

CHARLES H. ALDRICH,

Treasurer.

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash :

In hands of treasurer (Do not include sinking funds),	\$5,645 88	\$5,645 88
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Sinking funds:

(a) Bounties,		17 00
Amount expended from sinking fund to be paid by note as per vote of town when bridge is completed,		303 36

Accounts due to the town :

Due from state :

Bounties,		17 00
(a) Joint highway construction ac- counts, unexpended balance in state treasury,	856 78	
(b) Town share,	214 20	1,087 98

Unredeemed taxes :

(b) Levy of 1937,	\$1,518 27		
(c) Levy of 1936,	513 80		
(d) Previous years,	320 21	2,352 28	2,352 28

Uncollected taxes :

(a) Levy of 1938,	6,698 77		
(b) Levy of 1937,	113 85		
(c) Levy of 1936,	22 07		
(d) Previous years,	43 47	6,878 16	6,878 16

Total assets,	\$16,284 66
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt),	8,802 70

Grand total,	\$25,087 36
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Net debt—January 31, 1938,	\$8,059 14
Net debt—January 31, 1939,	8,802 70
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Increase of debt,	\$743 56

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:	
Bills outstanding, Hannah Draper aged and needy gift fund,	\$301 62
Barker park,	5 00
Due to school districts:	
(a) Dog licenses,	\$147 29
(b) Balance of appropri- ation,	4,113 34 4,260 63
State and town joint highway construction accounts:	
(a) Unexpended balance in state treasury,	856 78
(b) Unexpended balance in town treasury, T. R. A.,	214 20
Unexpended balance in town treasury, blister rust,	2 78
Outstanding temporary loans in anticipation of taxes:	
Nellie F. Clough note,	5,000 00
Charles H. Aldrich, treasurer of trust fund,	5,000 00
Long term notes outstanding:	
Chas. H. Aldrich, trustee of trust fund note,	2,500 00
Trust funds, amount of principal used by town:	6,946 34
Total liabilities,	<hr/> \$25,087 36

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From local taxes:

Total taxes committed to collector, 1938,	\$18,577 02	
Less uncollected, 1938,	6,698 77	
1. Property taxes, current year, actually collected,	\$11,878 25	
2. Poll taxes, current year, actually collected,	290 00	
3. National bank stock taxes,	20 00	
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Total of current year's collections,		\$12,188 25
4. Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected,		7,207 45
5. Tax sales redeemed,		1,000 49

From state:

7. Reimbursement for town poor—old age asst.—soldiers' aid,	28 77	
8. Interest and dividend tax,	222 38	
9. Insurance tax,	1 06	
10. Railroad tax,	544 42	
11. Savings bank tax,	217 36	
14. Bounties	12 80	1,026 79

From local sources, except taxes:

17. Dog licenses,	173 40	
18. Business licenses and permits,	1 80	
19. Trustees of trust fund for aged and needy,	301 62	
20. Rent of town property,	20 00	
21. Interest received on taxes,	441 33	
22. Assets of 1937, logs,	12 94	
24. Legacies,	200 00	

27. Registration of motor vehicles, 1938 permits,	789 04	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1939 permits,	10 00	1,950 13
Total current revenue receipts,		<u>\$23,373 11</u>

Receipts other than current revenue:

Fuller wash out,	601 67	
Starkey bridge,	797 69	
Blk. road,	240 38	
New tar rd. below C. C. F.,	875 62	
Solvay,	288 00	
Balance of taken from general fund to be re- placed by note when bridge is com- pleted.	303 36	
		<u>2,500 00</u>

Total receipts from all sources,	\$25,873 11
Cash on hand February 1, 1938,	4,699 51
Grand total,	<u>\$30,572 62</u>

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General government:

1. Town officers' salaries,	\$861 50	
2. Town officers' expenses,	485 06	
3. Election and registration expenses,	156 35	
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	728 98	\$2,231 89

Protection of persons and property:

6. Police department, including care of tramps,	196 40	
7. Fire department, including forest fires,	60 00	

9.	Bounties,	17 00	
10.	Expense of dogs,	26 11	299 51
	Health :		
11.	Health department, including hospitals,	3 00	
12.	Vital statistics,	8 00	11 00
	Highways and bridges :		
14.	Flood damage,	1,161 59	
15.	Town road aid,	309 77	
16.	Town maintenance,	3,088 18	
17.	Street lighting and sprinkling,	123 33	
18.	General expenses of highway department,	305 79	4,988 66
	Libraries :		
19.	Libraries,	30 00	30 00
	Charities :		
20.	Old age assistance,	451 20	
21.	Town poor,	29 93	
22.	Aged and needy families,	307 24	788 37
	Patriotic purposes :		
23.	Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises,	3 78	
24.	Aid to soldiers and their families,	23 09	26 87
	Recreation :		
25.	Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts,	5 00	5 00
	Public service enterprises :		
28.	Cemeteries, including hearse hire,	15 00	15 00
	Unclassified :		
	Monadnock Region,	60 00	
	General fund,	92 61	

29. Damages and legal expenses,	22 00	
30. Taxes bought by town, int. and costs,	1,787 54	
31. Discounts and abatements, legacies,	200 00	2,162 15
Total current maintenance expenses,	\$10,558 45	\$10,558 45

Interest:

32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	400 00	
33. Paid on long term notes,	83 33	
35. Paid on principal of trust funds used by towns,	313 31	
Total interest payments,		\$796 64

Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:

36. Highways and bridges—Bal. of rd. at C. C. Farm,	73 17	
37. Fuller washout and new tar rd. and old blk. rd.,	1,717 67	
39. Starkey bridge,	797 69	
Total outlay payments,		\$2,588 53

Indebtedness:

46. Payments on long term notes,	\$1,500 00	
Total indebtedness payments,		\$1,500 00

Payments to other governmental divisions:

51. Taxes paid to state,	1,116 00	
52. Taxes paid to county,	1,921 27	
54. Payments to school districts,	6,445 85	
Total payments to other governmental divisions,		\$9,483 12
Total payments for all purposes,		\$24,926 74
Cash on hand January 31, 1939,		5,645 88
Grand total,		\$30,572 62

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

1. Town hall, lands and buildings,	\$12,000 00
Furniture and equipment,	1,500 00
2. Libraries, lands and buildings,	1,200 00
Furniture and equipment,	2,100 00
3. Police department, lands and buildings,	25 00
5. Highway departments, lands and buildings,	1,500 00
6. Parks, commons and playgrounds,	500 00
9. Schools, lands and buildings,	15,000 00
10. All land and buildings acquired through tax collectors' deeds,	325 00
Total,	\$34,150 00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Total number of automobile permits issued from Feb. 1, 1938 to Feb. 1, 1939,	251
Total receipts from auto permits,	\$799 04
Total paid town treasurer,	799 04
Total received from dog licenses,	191 00
Total retained as clerk's fees,	17 60
Total paid town treasurer,	173 40

RUTH E. BURT,

Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1934 collected, 3 polls,	\$6 00
1934 collected, personal property,	11 37
1934 collected, interest,	3 69
1935 collected, 5 polls,	10 00
1935 collected, personal property,	13 11
1935 collected, interest,	2 82
1936 collected, 3 polls,	6 00
1936 collected, personal property,	28 67
1936 collected, interest,	2 77
1937 collected, taxes,	5,222 97
1937 collected, interest,	280 37
1937 collected, 121 polls,	242 00
1937 collected, 9 after assessments,	18 00
1937 collected, taxes sold,	1,649 33
1937 collected, interest on taxes sold,	138 21
1938 tax warrant,	\$18,577 02
1938 taxes collected,	11,878 25
1938 taxes uncollected,	6,698 77
1938 bank tax collected,	20 00
1938 interest collected,	13 47
1938 poll taxes collected, 139,	\$278 00
1938 after assessment, 6 polls,	12 00
1938 uncollected, polls 212.	

LAWRENCE C. BURT,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

From January 31, 1938 to January 31, 1939

RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury Feb. 1, 1938,	\$4,699 51
Received of Lawrence C. Burt, tax collector:	
Taxes 1934,	\$17 37
Interest 1934,	3 69
Taxes 1935,	23 11
Interest 1935,	2 82
Taxes 1936,	34 67
Interest 1936,	2 77
Taxes 1937,	5,482 97
Interest 1937,	280 37
Taxes 1938,	12,168 25
Interest 1938,	13 47
National bank stock tax,	20 00
Tax sales,	1,649 33
Interest on tax sales,	138 21
Redemption taxes,	1,000 49
Received of Ruth E. Burt, town clerk:	
Auto permits 1937,	350 00
Auto permits 1938,	439 04
Auto permits 1939,	10 00
Dog licenses 1938,	173 40
Received of selectmen:	
Pistol permits,	1 50
Received of Lena Aldrich, Ex.:	
Frank E. Aldrich, Est., for cemetery lot,	200 00

Received of Frank C. Hoyle:

Town hall rent,	20 00
Telephone,	30

Received of Bellows Falls Ice Co.:

For logs,	12 94
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Received of state treasurer:

For relief,	28 77
Hedgehog bounties,	12 80
Insurance tax,	1 06
Railroad tax,	544 42
Savings bank tax,	217 36
Interest and dividend tax,	222 38

Received of Charles H. Aldrich, treasurer of trust funds:

Interest on Starkey gift fund,	301 62
Town note,	1,000 00
Town note,	1,500 00

\$30,572 62

PAYMENTS

Paid state treasurer, state tax,	\$1,116 00
County treasurer, county tax,	1,921 27
Ruth H. Burt, school treasurer,	6,445 85
Charles H. Aldrich, treasurer of trustees of trust funds,	
Frank E. Aldrich, fund for cemetery lot,	200 00

\$9,683 12

Paid all other selectmen's orders,	15,243 62
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\$24,926 74

Balance in treasury February 1, 1939,	\$5,645 88
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CHARLES H. ALDRICH,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

(Continued)

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury Feb. 1, 1938,	\$4,699 51
Received of L. C. Burt, tax collector, 1938,	12,168 25
Received of L. C. Burt, National bank tax,	20 00
Received of L. C. Burt, interest 1938,	13 47
Received of L. C. Burt, tax previous years,	7,207 45
Received of L. C. Burt, interest,	427 86
Received of L. C. Burt, from state for other purposes,	1,026 79
Received of Ruth E. Burt, dog licenses,	173 40
Received of selectmen, permits,	1 80
Received of Capt. Hoyle, rent of town hall,	20 00
Received from treasurer of trustees, interest,	301 62
Received on redemption,	1,000 49
Received from Ruth E. Burt, auto taxes,	799 04
Received on long term notes,	2,500 00
Received legacies,	200 00
Received from sale of logs,	12 94

\$25,873 11

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries,	\$861 50
Town officers' expenses,	485 06
Election registration,	156 35
Town hall,	728 98
Police,	196 40
Fire,	60 00
Bounties,	17 00
Expense of collecting dog taxes and tags,	26 11

Health,	3 00
Vital statistics,	8 00
Black road, new tar road, Fuller wash out, solvay,	2,005 67
Starkey bridge,	797 69
Sand and snow,	1,030 90
Town maintenance,	2,476 29
Street lighting,	123 33
General road expense,	305 79
Miscellaneous,	92 61
Monadnock region,	60 00
Old age assistance,	451 20
Libraries,	30 00
Town poor, and aged and needy gift fund,	337 17
Memorial Day,	3 78
Aid to soldiers' and families,	23 09
Parks,	5 00
Cemeteries,	15 00
Taxes bought by town,	1,649 33
Legal expenses,	22 00
Interest,	934 85
New road to County Farm, balance,	73 18
T. R. A. road,	309 77
W. P. A. project,	354 58
Long term notes,	1,500 00
State and county precincts,	3,037 27
School district,	6,445 85
Legacies,	200 00
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	\$24,926 74

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$950 00
Arthur S. Christian, making reports,	25 00
Charles M. Morse, making reports,	25 00
Glenn E. Britton, making reports,	25 00
Oscar W. Billings, auditor,	15 00

Roger L. Bridgeman, auditor,	3 00
L. C. Burt, tax collector (part of 1938 salary),	100 00
Charles M. Moore, selectman,	160 00
Arthur S. Christian, selectman,	160 00
Glenn E. Britton, selectman,	160 00
Charles H. Aldrich, treasurer,	100 00
Ruth E. Burt, town clerk,	25 00
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	\$798 00
Ruth E. Burt, issuing auto permits,	63 50
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	\$861 50

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$380 00
Oscar W. Billings, postage and envelopes, notifying delinquent tax payers,	4 18
Chase's Book Store, supplies,	29 05
Sentinel Printing Company, printing reports,	160 00
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues,	4 00
Mason Insurance Company, bonds,	80 00
Esther G. Bennett, notification on estate,	30
New England Telephone Company, telephone,	70
Winifred Chaplin, 64 records of transfers,	12 80
Wheeler & Clark, tags,	2 05
L. C. Burt, costs on taxes sold,	83 54
A. S. Christian, copying invoice book,	6 00
Winifred Chaplin, notifying selectmen of mortgages on real estate sold for taxes,	31 50
Ruth E. Burt, expense at town clerks meeting,	5 75
Winifred Chaplin, tax sales deeds,	6 00
G. E. Britton, telephone and postage,	13 29
C. H. Aldrich, postage and envelopes,	8 00
L. C. Burt, tax bills, envelopes, postage,	16 05
L. C. Burt, expense collecting personal property tax,	12 60
Ruth E. Burt, books and postage,	9 25
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	\$485 06

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$175 00
Tucker Printing Company, printing 100 checklists,	18 25
Fred Fifield, supervisor of check list,	30 00
Merton C. Leach, supervisor of check list,	30 00
Gladys Ploof, supervisor of check list,	30 00
Donald Paine, police duty and primary and election,	7 10
Village, P. T. A. dinners and supper and primary and election,	17 00
C. L. Paine, ballot clerk,	6 00
L. C. Burt, ballot clerk,	6 00
R. L. Bridgeman, ballot clerk,	6 00
W. H. Parker, ballot clerk,	6 00
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	\$156 35

TOWN HALL

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$600 00
Paid C. L. Paine, 10 cords rock maple wood,	70 00
Frank Norcross, housing wood,	6 80
C. H. Norcross, sawing wood,	25 40
Public Service Company, lights,	51 30
Pearson Brothers, repairs on furnace,	10 21
Roger Bridgeman, repair on furnace and windows,	19 30
Spencer Hardware Co., repairs on lock and varnish,	3 78
Pearson Bros., 2 drums chemical,	12 00
Knowlton & Stone, glass,	1 05
F. C. Hoyle, janitor,	314 42
C. W. Messer, state,	3 50
Harold Torry, labor and machinery repairing roof,	36 63
Glenn E. Britton, supplies,	18 14
Mason Insurance Co., insurance,	156 25
New England Telephone Company, telephone,	20
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	\$728 98

POLICE ACCOUNT
(Including Keeping of Tramps)

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$250 00
Donald A. Paine, police service, Kingsbury case and Warren auction,	14 75
B. F. Sherman, Supt., keeping 519 tramps,	181 65
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FIRE ACCOUNT

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$250 00
Clifford Chickering, watching at store fire,	6 00
William Stacy, watching at store fire,	6 00
Billy Smith, watching at Hall fire,	1 20
Rex Hubbard, watching at Hall fire,	1 80
City of Keene, fire truck at Chickering fire,	30 00
City of Keene, fire truck at Barrett chimney fire,	15 00
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BOUNTIES

Due from state Feb. 1, 1938,	\$12 80
Received from state,	12 80
Paid selectmen, 85 hedgehogs @ 20c,	17 00
Due from state, Feb. 1st, 1939,	17 00

ACCOUNT OF DOG MONEY

Amount due school district, Feb. 1, 1938,	\$150 40
Paid school district,	150 40
Amount collected in 1938, from dog licenses,	173 40
Paid Wheeler and Clark, dog license tags,	4 11
Paid Donald Paine, constable, collecting dog taxes,	22 00
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Amount due school district May 1st, 1939,	\$147 29

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$10 00
Paid Ruth H. Burt, health officer,	3 00

VITAL STATISTICS

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$10 00
Paid Ruth E. Burt, recording births, marriages and deaths,	8 00

"CLEAN UP" DAY

The first "clean up" day was observed here last May. Families all over town cooperated by placing their rubbish in containers convenient to the roadside near their homes where it was gathered up and taken to the town dump.

A vote of thanks is due those men who so generously gave their time and trucks for this purpose.

Let us hope that this may be made an annual event.

RUTH H. BURT,

Health Officer.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Feb. 1, 1939.

Health Officer,
Westmoreland.

Dear Sir:

Following is the report of the health work which has been done in your community by the New Hampshire State Board of Health, cooperating with the local agencies as represented through the Child Health Conference Committee.

Child Health Conference:

Number held,	1
Number children attending,	29
Number found with defects,	10
Number defects found,	16
Number defects found corrected,	4

Diphtheria immunization clinics:

Number held,	1
Number children receiving treatment,	3
Ages 6 months to one year,	1
Preschool,	1
School,	1

HAZEL E. WAITE, R. N.,
Public Health Nurse,
New Hampshire State Board of Health.

STARKEY BRIDGE

Voted to raise and appropriate or borrow not to exceed,	\$1,500 00
Paid E. B. Holmes, girders and steel,	674 27
Paid Kenneth L. Rounds, labor,	4 50
Donald Paine, lumber,	13 20
Paid K. L. Rounds, drawing gravel and stone for abutment,	64 78
Frank Whitecomb sand and gravel,	20 94
Bragg Lumber Corp., lumber,	20 00
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	\$797 69

Bridge was not completed.

TOWN MAINTENANCE OF HIGHWAY AND RAILING

Raised by vote and appropriated,	\$2,250 00
Raised by law,	1,407 35
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Total joint fund,	\$3,657 35
Set aside for general expense of highway,	300 00
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	\$3,357 35
Set aside for snow,	1,000 00
Amount to be expended by road agents,	2,350 35

Amount expended previous to hurricane:

C. W. Messer,	\$668 03
J. Fred Fredette,	39 25
Robert L. Blood,	523 50
Kenneth L. Rounds,	538 50

Expended since the hurricane:

C. W. Messer,	244 91
Ruth H. Burt,	1 60
Kenneth L. Rounds,	232 40
R. L. Blood,	181 30
R. L. Blood, on Kirk Aldrich bridge,	46 80

\$2,476 29

SNOW AND SANDING ACCOUNT

Set aside from maintenance fund,	\$1,000 00
Amount expended by C. W. Messer, 1937-38,	53 10
Amount expended by K. L. Rounds, 1937-38,	57 80
Amount expended by R. L. Blood, 1937-38,	103 70
Amount expended by C. W. Messer 1938-39,	233 70
Amount expended by K. L. Rounds 1938-39,	235 15
Amount expended by R. L. Blood, 1938-39,	280 40
Farm Service Company, 70 bags salt,	67 05

\$1,030 90

FULLER WASHOUT

Voted to borrow,	\$600 00
Amount expended,	601 67

BLACK ROADS FORMERLY MAINTAINED BY STATE

Voted to borrow,	\$400 00
Paid R. L. Blood, agent,	146 30
Paid Trimount Bitmunious Products Co., 800 gals. tar,	94 08

\$240 38

Town voted to tar 1 mile on river road below Cheshire County Farm and use salvoy on the remainder and to raise the road between the new bridge and C. C. F. building so it would be suitable for tar,	\$191 80
Paid R. L. Blood, agent for grading and graveling balance of 1 mile of road,	84 00
Sand and apply sand after 2nd coat of tar,	47 10
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., 4,700 gals., tar @ \$11.76,	552 72
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	\$875 62
Paid Solvay Sales Corp., solvay,	\$288 00

NEW ROAD AT COUNTY FARM PROJECT OF 1937

Unexpended balance in treasurer's hands Feb. 1st, 1938,	\$73 17
Paid state treasurer balance after road was completed,	73 17

T. R. A. FOR CLASS V—VOTED TO ACCEPT

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$523 64
State contribution,	2,094 57
Balance in state treasury Feb. 1st, 1938,	1 34
Balance in town treasury Feb. 1, 1938,	33
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Total joint fund,	\$2,619 88
Amount expended by Robert L. Blood, foreman, paid by state,	\$1,260 00
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts, paid by state,	184 05
Solvay Sales Corp., solvay, paid by state,	142 56
Paid to state treasurer,	\$309 77
Balance in town treasury,	214 20
Balance in state treasury,	856 78
Balance will be expended in 1939	

W. P. A. PROJECT in connection with the road and forest fire hazard caused by hurricane of Sept. 1938, under

Article 16 of 1938 Town warrant. Voted to borrow \$500.00 to be used to obtain state and federal funds.

Total amount expended by town,	\$454 58
For labor, C. Barrett, Jr.,	5 60
Gravel and stone,	298 66
Trucks,	79 62
Tools: shovels and picks and rakes, axes and saws,	70 70
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	\$454 58

Total amount expended by Federal Funds for 22 laborers and the trucks, except as stated above.

For labor,	\$2,454 92
For trucks,	749 36
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	\$3,204 28

Detailed account will be given at town meeting.

GENERAL ROAD ACCOUNT

Amount set aside from town maintenance,	\$300 00
Aldis Cushing, repairs on scraper,	10 19
New England Volts Company, 2 culverts,	102 20
Donald Paine, 8,675 plank,	173 50
G. Britton, 9 flares, oil cans, kerosene,	18 90
Chas. Norcross, repairs on snow plow,	1 00
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	\$305 79

GENERAL ACCOUNT OF MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$250 00
Arthur Christian, painting flag pole,	10 00
Ernest Chase, spraying trees on town property,	5 85
National Colotty Co., Inc., school warning signs,	7 36
H. Brown, work on well wall,	13 40
Charles Moore, trip to Concord,	7 00
G. E. Britton, 3 trips to Newport on W. P. A.,	
2 trips to Concord, 1 trip to Manchester,	33 00

Arthur Christian, 2 trips to Concord,	6 00
G. E. Britton, trip to Connecticut in conference with Robert L. Fuller,	10 00
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	\$92 61

MONADNOCK REGION ASSOCIATION

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$60 00
Paid Monadnock Region Association,	60 00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$700 00
Paid on old age assistance,	451 20

LIBRARY ACCOUNT

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$30 00
Paid Anna B. Britton, library treasurer,	30 00

TOWN POOR

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$100 00
Paid L. D. Warren, supplies,	11 93
Paid G. E. Britton, supplies,	18 00
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	\$29 93

CHARITY

Int. on Hannah Draper trust fund to be distributed to aged and needy at discretion of selectmen,	\$307 24
This amount was distributed to 26 deserving fam- ilies by selectmen accompanied by auditors,	307 24

AID TO SOLDIERS AND SOLDIERS' WIDOWS

No appropriation	
Aid to soldiers and soldiers' families,	\$23 09

MEMORIAL DAY

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$5 00
Paid G. E. Rundett, flag for soldier's graves,	3 78

PARKS

Due Barker park Feb. 1, 1938,	\$5 00
Voted to raise and appropriate,	5 00
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	\$10 00
Paid C. W. Messer, labor in park,	5 00
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Balance due Barker park Feb. 1, 1939,	\$5 00

CEMETERIES

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$75 00
Ernest Chase, spraying trees,	10 00
Charles Aldrich, traveling expense incurred on distribution of trustee funds int.,	5 00

STREET LIGHTS

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$120 00
Paid Public Service Company, lights,	123 33

LEGAL EXPENSES

Voted to raise and appropriate,	\$35 00
Arthur Olson, legal advice	\$2 00
O. E. Cain, retainer fees and counsel,	20 00
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	\$22 00

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Total unredeemed tax, Feb. 1, 1938,	\$1,410 76
Tax sales, taxes of 1937 sold in 1938,	1,649 33
Interest on taxes sold,	138 21
Cost on taxes sold,	83 54
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	\$3,281 84

RECEIVED OF REDEMPTION TAX-INTEREST-COST

Received of redemption tax-interest-cost 1934,	\$99 12
Received of redemption tax-interest-cost 1935,	182 88

Received of redemption tax-interest-cost 1936,	356 50
Received of redemption tax-interest-cost 1937,	361 99

\$1,000 49

Total unredeemed tax exclusive from property
taken by town by tax sales deed,

Feb. 1, 1939,	\$2,352 28
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INTEREST

Voted to raise and appropriate for interest,

Int. on temporary loans,	\$400 00
Int. on long term notes,	180 00
Int. on trust funds used by town,	313 31
Paid Charles H. Aldrich, trustee of public funds, interest on temporary loan note,	200 00
Paid Nellie F. Clough, interest on temporary loan note.	200 00
Paid Charles H. Aldrich, trustee of trust funds, interest on long term note,	83 33
Paid Charles H. Aldrich, trustee, interest on on trust fund used in hall,	313 31

\$796 64

TEMPORARY LOANS OUTSTANDING

Temporary loans outstanding Feb. 1, 1939:

Nellie F. Clough, note,	\$5,000 00
Trustee of trust fund, note,	5,000 00

LONG TERM NOTES

Long term notes outstanding, Feb. 1, 1938:

Hannah Draper, trust fund note, due in 1938,	\$1,500 00
Balance on town hall building note,	6,946 34
Paid Hannah Draper trust fund note,	1,500 00

OUTSTANDING LONG TERM NOTES FEB. 1, 1939

Balance on Town hall building note,	\$6,946 34
Hannah Draper trust fund note,	1,000 00

Hannah Draper trust fund note,	1,500 00
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	\$9,446 34
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PAYMENT TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Amount for county tax appropriated,	\$1,921 27
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Amount for state tax appropriated,	1,116 00
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	\$3,037 27
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Paid Harry A. Page, county tax,	\$1,921 27
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Paid state treasurer, state tax,	1,116 00
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	\$3,037 27
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SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Amount due school district Feb. 1, 1938 of 1937 appropriation,	\$2,895 45
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Amount due school district dog licenses 1937 due May 1, 1938,	150 40
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Paid school district May 1, 1937 dog licenses,	\$150 40
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Paid school district balance of 1937 appropriation,	2,895 45
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Raised for support of school 1938,	\$7,304 25
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Salaries of district officers,	150 00
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Truant officer and census,	10 00
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Supt. excess salary,	280 00
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\$2.00 per capita tax for supervision,	308 00
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Tuitions,	2,900 00
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Electric light fixtures,	65 00
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Total school budget,	\$11,017 25
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Income from state,	3,903 91
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Total school assessment,	\$7,113 34
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Paid to school district tuitions balance of 1938 assessment,	3,000 00
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Due school district Feb. 1, 1939,	4,113 34
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Dog licenses of 1938 due school dist., May 1, 1939,	147 29
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LEGACIES

Received of Lena Aldrich, cemetery fund for

Frank E. Aldrich lot, \$200 00

Paid C. H. Aldrich, treasurer of trustee of trust funds, 200 00

**GRAVE FOREST SITUATION FOLLOWS SEPTEMBER
HURRICANE**

Woodland problems of timber salvage and fire control created in many towns by the September hurricane are of the greatest importance. **GOOD CITIZENSHIP CALLS FOR PERSONAL AND WIDESPREAD ACTION!**

Forest fire danger for several years will be greater than usual. So much work must be done by public agencies to reduce hazard along roadsides, near improved and other exposed areas that many places will remain hazardous for some time to come. **INDIVIDUAL LANDOWNERS MUST TAKE A PERSONAL INTEREST!** Aid in clean-up work through the Agricultural Conservation Program is available to any woodland owner at \$4.00 per acre on areas up to 15 acres. The County Agent should be consulted.

Support your local Forest Fire Wardens and Deputies. They are planning, with State and Federal agencies, an intensive campaign to control fires. Help them by strict observance of the fire laws. Kindle no open fires without a permit from the Warden except when the ground is covered with snow. Cooperate by reporting fires you may see and in other ways. Fire fighting tool supplies are inadequate and should be reasonably increased by many towns. **YOU CAN HELP, AND IT WILL PAY, TO PREVENT FOREST FIRES!**

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR S. CHRISTIAN,
GLENN E. BRITTON,
CHARLES M. MOORE,
Selectmen of Westmoreland.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

KENNETH L. ROUNDS, ROAD AGENT

ROAD REPORT FOR YEAR 1938

FEBRUARY ACCOUNT

SANDING ACCOUNT

Star Greeley, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	\$4 00
K. Rounds, 16 hrs. @ \$1.30,	20 80
Lloyd Kenyon, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
Clyde Kenyon, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40
Elton Stoddard, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
Clyde Kenyon, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Lloyd Kenyon, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
K. Rounds, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
K. Rounds, 10 hrs. @ \$1.30,	13 00
O. J. Rounds, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00

\$57 80

ROAD ACCOUNT

Starr Greeley, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	\$4 80
Clyde Kenyon, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Lloyd Kenyon, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
K. Rounds, 12 hrs. @ \$1.30,	15 60
Aldis Cushing, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Elton Stoddard, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
W. E. Lawrence, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40

\$35 60

MARCH ACCOUNT

L. W. Churchill, 39 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$50 70
Starr Greeley, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40

K. Rounds, 27 hrs. @ \$1.30,	35 10
Elton Stoddard, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	4 00
Francis Blood, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
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	\$98 60

APRIL ACCOUNT

K. Rounds, 9 hrs. @ 80c,	\$7 20
W. E. Lawrence, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
K. Rounds, 2 hrs. @ \$1.30,	2 60
K. Rounds, 21 hrs. @ \$1.30,	27 30
O. J. Rounds, 20 hrs. @ 40c,	8 00
Fred Fredette, 10 loads gravel @ 15c,	1 50
Aldis Cushing, 1 new road drag,	38 00
K. Rounds, 12 hrs. @ 80c,	9 60
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	\$97 80

WORK AT FULLER WASHOUT

K. Rounds, 8 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$10 40
K. Rounds, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Rex Hubbard, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
Elton Stoddard 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
G. E. Britton, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
Earl Lund, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
Robert Blood, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Rex Hubbard, 32 hrs. @ 40c,	12 80
Elton Stoddard, 30 hrs. @ 40c,	12 00
Earl Lund, 30 hrs. @ 40c,	12 00
Starr Greeley, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
K. Rounds, 24 hrs. @ \$1.30,	31 20
Robert Blood, 8 hrs. @ \$1.30,	10 40
Fred Fredette, 9 hrs. @ \$1.30,	11 70
Charles Messer, 7 hrs. @ \$1.30,	9 10
Russell Wellington, 5 hrs. @ \$1.30,	6 50
Larry Fowle, 16 hrs. @ \$5.00,	80 00
Robert Fuller, 300 yds. gravel @ 10c load,	30 00
Robert Blood, 3,035 ft. oak logs at \$13.00 per m.,	39 46

Elton Stoddard, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Starr Greeley, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
Rex Hubbard, 25½ hrs. @ 40c,	10 20
Earl Lund, 24½ hrs. @ 40c,	9 80
R. Fredette, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Linn Starkey, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Orrin Harvey, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Francis Blood, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Robert Blood, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Larry Fowle, 19 hrs. @ \$5.00,	95 00
L. W. Churchill, 260 yds. gravel @ 10c,	26 00
K. Rounds, 21 hrs. @ \$1.30,	27 30
Robert Blood, 18 hrs. @ \$1.30,	23 40
Fred Fredette, 6 hrs. @ \$1.30,	7 80
Charles Messer, 10 hrs. @ \$1.30,	13 00
Russell Wellington, 11 hrs. @ \$1.30,	14 30
Lloyd Kenyon, 13 hrs. @ 40c,	5 20
G. E. Britton, roll of wire and staples,	4 20
E. J. Bittner, hanging lanterns and oil,	30 31
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	\$601 67

MAY ACCOUNT

Rex Hubbard, 11 hrs. @ 40c,	4 40
Earl Lund, 13 hrs. @ 40c,	5 20
K. Rounds, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
K. Rounds, 42 hrs. @ \$1.30,	54 60
Lloyd Kenyon, 13 hrs. @ 40c,	5 20
Robert Blood, 15 hrs. @ 40c,	6 00
Robert Blood, 9 hrs. @ \$1.30,	11 70
Starr Greeley, 13 hrs. @ 40c,	5 20
Donald Blood, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
L. W. Churchill, use of lime sower,	2 00
W. E. Lawrence, 18 hrs. @ 40c,	7 20
O. J. Rounds, 26 hrs. @ 40c,	10 40
Elton Stoddard, 15 hrs. @ 40c,	6 00
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	\$123 50

JULY ACCOUNT

K. Rounds, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	\$3 60
O. J. Rounds, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
K. Rounds, 59 hrs. @ \$1.30,	76 70
Floyd Gerrish, 57 hrs. @ 40c,	22 80
Elton Stoddard, 41 hrs. @ 40c,	16 40
Starr Greeley, 39 hrs. @ 40c,	15 60
Fred Fredette, 53 loads gravel @ 15c,	7 95
A. D. Hulett, 23 loads gravel @ 15c,	3 45
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	\$150 10

AUGUST ACCOUNT

Floyd Gerrish, 18 hrs. @ 40c,	\$7 20
Starr Greeley, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
K. Rounds, 17 hrs. @ \$1.30,	22 10
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	\$32 90

SEPTEMBER ACCOUNT

Star Greeley, 15 hrs. @ 40c,	\$6 00
Floyd Gerrish, 43 hrs. @ 40c,	17 20
Linn Starkey, 18 hrs. @ 40c,	7 20
Orrin Harvey, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
Francis Blood, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
Elmer Parker, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
W. E. Lawrence, 38 hrs. @ 40c,	15 20
K. Rounds, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
K. Rounds, 51 hrs. @ \$1.30,	66 30
Elton Stoddard, 20 hrs. @ 40c,	8 00
Francis Blood, 22 hrs. @ 40c,	8 80
K. Rounds, paid G. E. Britton, spikes,	50
2 rakes,	3 00
A. D. Hulett, 16 loads gravel @ 15c	2 40
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	\$160 20

NOVEMBER ACCOUNT
STARKEY BRIDGE

Robert Blood, 10 hrs. @ 1.30,	\$13 00
K. Rounds, 10 hrs. @ \$1.30,	13 00
K. Rounds, 25 hrs. @ 40c,	10 00
K. Rounds paid Howard Hardware, dynamite and fuse,	1 25
G. E. Britton, kerosene,	33
Mrs. E. L. Rounds, 10 braces @ \$1.00,	10 00
Rex Hubbard, 25 hrs. @ 40c,	10 00
Aldis Cushing, 12 hrs. @ 60c,	7 20
Frank Whitcomb, drilling,	4 50
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	\$69 28
Donald Paine, lumber,	\$13 20

SNOW ACCOUNT

K. Rounds, 28 hrs. @ \$2.50,	\$70 00.
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DECEMBER ACCOUNT

Rex Hubbard, 33 hrs. @ 40c,	\$13 20
O. J. Rounds, 17 hrs. @ 40c,	6 80
K. Rounds, 50 hrs. @ \$1.30,	65 00
Francis Blood, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	4 00
Elton Stoddard, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
Harold Stoddard, 4 hrs @ 40c,	1 60
Starr Greeley, 11 hrs. @ 40c,	4 40
Paid G. E. Britton, 2 shovels,	1 50
Carl Marshall, 8 loads sand @ 15c,	1 20
Cheshire County Farm, 15 loads @ 15c,	2 25

SNOW ACCOUNT

L. W. Churchill, 4 hrs. @ 80c,	3 20
K. Rounds, 10 hrs. @ \$2.50,	25 00
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	\$130 95

JANUARY ACCOUNT
SANDING

K. Rounds, 12 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$15 60
O. J. Rounds, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
Elton Stoddard, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
W. E. Lawrence, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Starr Greeley, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
	<hr/> \$29 20

SNOW ACCOUNT

K. Rounds, 2 hrs. @ \$2.50,	5 00
	<hr/> \$34 20

REPORT OF ROBERT BLOOD

FEBRUARY ACCOUNT 1938
SANDING, GETTING OUT SAND, AND SALT

Robert Blood, 32 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$41 60
Carl Barrett, 11 hrs. @ 40c,	4 40
George Kingsbury, 17 hrs. @ 40c,	6 80
Charles Harris, 28 hrs @ 40c,	11 20
Donald Blood, 4 hrs @ 40c,	1 60
L. D. Warren, bag salt,	70
Leon Osborne, 33 yds. sand @ 10c,	3 30
	<hr/> \$69 60

MARCH ACCOUNT 1938
SANDING

Robert Blood, 17 hrs. @ \$1.30,	22 10
Donald Blood, 11 hrs @ 40c,	4 40
Charles Harris, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40
George Kingsbury, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
George Aldrich, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
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ROAD MAINTENANCE

Robert Blood, 28 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$36 40
Dwight Graves, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
Frank Seward, 18 yds. gravel @ 10c,	1 80
Kirk Aldrich, 8 yds. gravel @ 10c,	80
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	\$50 20

APRIL ACCOUNT 1938
ROAD MAINTENANCE

Robert Blood, 31 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$40 30
Dwight Graves, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
Charles Harris, 23 hrs. @ 40c,	9 20
George Kingsbury, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
S. B. Putnam, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
Kirk Aldrich, 7½ yds. gravel @ 10c,	75
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	\$55 05

MAY ACCOUNT TO JUNE 4, 1938
ROAD MAINTENANCE

Robert Blood, 75 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$97 50
Donald Blood, 60 hrs. @ 40c,	24 00
Orrin Harvey, 75 hrs. @ 40c,	30 00
Dwight Graves, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
S. B. Putnam, 32 hrs. @ 40c,	12 80
Leon Osborne, 18 yds. gravel @ 10c,	1 80
Kirk Aldrich, 15½ yds. gravel @ 10c,	1 55
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	\$168 85

JUNE ACCOUNT TO JULY 2, 1938
ROAD MAINTENANCE

Robert Blood, 28 hrs. @ \$1.30,	36 40
Robert Blood, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Donald Blood, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
Orrin Harvey, 36 hrs. @ 40c,	14 40

S. B. Putnam, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
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	\$68 40

DEPOT HILL AND FERRY HILL WORK FOR TAR

Robert Blood, 16 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$20 80
Robert Blood, 20 hrs. @ 40c,	8 00
Kenneth Rounds, 36 hrs. @ \$1.30,	46 80
Donald Blood, 36 hrs. @ 40c,	14 40
Orrin Harvey, 36 hrs. @ 40c,	14 40
John Macki, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Earl Lund, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Elton Stoddard, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40
Fred Fredette, 30 yds. sand @ 10c,	3 00
Town of Walpole, sand and tar,	10 20
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	\$126 40

JUNE TO JULY 2, 1938 WORK BY COUNTY FARM BRIDGE AND FOR RIVER ROAD TAR

Robert Blood, 49 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$63 70
Robert Blood, 19 hrs. @ 40c,	7 60
Kenneth Rounds, 50 hrs. @ \$1.30,	65 00
Donald Blood, 49 hrs. @ 40c,	19 60
Donald Blood, 6 hrs. @ \$1.30	7 80
Orrin Harvey, 56 hrs. @ 40c,	22 40
Elton Stoddard, 42 hrs. @ 40c,	16 80
John Macki, 20 hrs. @ 40c,	8 00
Earl Lund, 40 hrs. @ 40c,	16 00
Lloyd Kenyon, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
H. L. Macdonald, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
Russell Wellington, 8 hrs. @ \$1.30,	10 40
Floyd Gerrish, 15 hrs. @ 40c,	6 00
George Rhodes, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Fred Fredette, 69 yds. sand @ 10c,	6 90

Carl Fredette, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
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\$275 80

JULY ACCOUNT 1938
TOWN MAINTENANCE

Robert Blood, 8 hrs. \$1.30,	\$10 40
Donald Blood, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Orrin Harvey, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
George Kingsbury, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60

\$16 80

SAND AND SANDING
RIVER ROAD TAR SECOND COAT OF TAR

Robert Blood, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	\$4 80
Kenneth Rounds, 12 hrs. @ \$1.30,	15 60
Floyd Gerrish, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Lloyd Kenyon, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Francis Blood, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Earl Lund, 8 hrs. @ 40c	3 20
Donald Blood 7 hrs. \$1.30,	9 10

\$47 10

AUGUST ACCOUNT 1938
ROAD MAINTENANCE

Robert Blood, 66 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$85 80
Donald Blood, 66 hrs. @ 40c,	26 40
S. B. Putnam, 65 hrs. @ 40c,	26 00
Dwight Graves, 65 hrs. @ 40c,	26 00

\$164 20

DEPOT HILL TAR

Robert Blood, 6 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$7 80
Donald Blood, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
S. B. Putnam, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Dwight Graves, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40

Kenneth Rounds, 3 hrs. @ \$1.30,	3 90
Fred Fredette, 18 yds. sand @ 10c,	1 80

\$19 90

SEPTEMBER ACCOUNT 1938
HURRICANE AND FLOOD

Robert Blood, 49 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$63 70
Rawleigh Fredette, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
Carl Fredette, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
John Macki, 27 hrs. @ 40c,	10 80
S. B. Putnam, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
William Francher, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
Robert Minkler, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
Peter Matague, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
George Gates, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
Lewis Canterbury, 23 hrs. @ 40c,	9 20
Fred Canterbury, 30 hrs. @ 40c,	12 00
George Kingsbury, Jr., 27 hrs. @ 40c,	10 80
George Kingsbury, 27 hrs. @ 40c,	10 80
John Kumich, 23 hrs. @ 40c,	9 20
Donald Blood, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Donald Audet, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
Richard Mahoney, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80

\$181 30

NOVEMBER TO DECEMBER 3, 1938
SNOW AND SANDING ACCOUNT

Robert Blood, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	\$2 40
Starr Greeley, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40
Robert Blood, 38 hrs. @ \$1.30,	49 40
Kirk Aldrich, 14 hrs. @ \$1.30,	18 20
Orrin Harvey, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
Francis Blood, 26 hrs. @ 40c,	10 40
Charles Messer, 20 hrs. @ \$2.50,	50 00

Kenneth Rounds, 2 hrs. @ \$2.00,	4 00
Carl Marshall, 12 yds. sand @ 10c,	1 20
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	\$140 80

DECEMBER ACCOUNT, 1938

ALDRICH BRIDGE AND WASHOUT BY MAX WHITE'S

Robert Blood, 47 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$61 10
Starr Greeley, 29 hrs. @ 40c,	11 60
Orrin Harvey, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
Adam Goodrum, 11 hrs. @ 40c,	4 40
Charles Harris, 41 hrs. @ 40c,	16 40
Kenneth Rounds, 8 hrs. @ \$1.30,	10 40
George Kingsbury, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Francis Blood, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Lawrence Johnson, 20 yds. stone @ 10c,	2 00
Kirk Aldrich, 25 yds. gravel @ 10c,	2 50
Robert Moore, 10 yds. stone @ 10c,	1 00
Max White, 20 yds. gravel @ 10c,	2 00
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	\$119 00

DECEMBER PLOWING SNOW AND SANDING

Robert Blood, 43 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$55 90
Robert Blood, 10 hrs. @ \$2.50,	25 00
Starr Greeley, 23 hrs. @ 40c,	9 20
George Kingsbury, 39 hrs. @ 40c,	15 60
Charles Harris, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
John Markrel, 4 hrs. @ 80c,	3 20
Leon Osborne, 37 yds. sand @ 10c,	3 70
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	\$123 80

JANUARY ACCOUNT 1939

SANDING

Robert Blood, 7 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$9 10
Charles Harris, 6 hrs. @ 40c,	2 40

George Kingsbury, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
Leon Osborne, 6 yds. sand @ 10c,	60
Howard Barclay, 1 hr. @ \$1.30,	1 30
Leon Osborne, 1 hr. @ 40c,	40
Carl Barrett, 1 hr. @ 40c,	40
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	\$15 80

REPORT OF C. W. MESSER

SPRING OF 1938

SNOW ACCOUNT

WEEK ENDING FEB. 28, 1938

Charles Messer, 27 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$35 10
Morton Wheeler, 11 hrs. @ 40c,	4 40
Albert Reed, 11 hrs. @ 40c,	4 40
Arthur Messer, 23 hrs. @ 40c,	9 20
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	\$53 10

CULVERT BY GOODNOW'S MILL

Charles Messer, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	\$4 80
Edwin Baker, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Orin Harvey, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
Arthur Messer, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
Charles Messer, 10 hrs. @ \$1.30,	13 00
A. Post, 6 yds gravel,	60
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	\$28 80

WASHOUT WORK ON SPOFFORD ROAD

Charles Messer, 15 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$19 50
Edwin Baker, 13 hrs. @ 40c,	5 20
Arthur Messer, 15 hrs. @ 40c,	6 00
A. Post, 27 yds. gravel,	2 70
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Total,	\$33 40

TOWN MAINTENANCE
WEEK ENDING MARCH 21, 1938

Charles Messer, 6 hrs. @ 80c,	\$4 80
R. H. Wellington, 4 hrs. @ 80c,	3 20
Charles Messer, 14 hrs. @ 40c,	5 60

Total,	\$13 60
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WEEK ENDING MARCH 28, 1938

Charles Messer, 19½ hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$25 35
Arthur Messer, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	4 00
Edwin Baker, 4½ hrs @ 40c,	1 80
Arthur Post, 4 yds. gravel,	40
H. M. Brown, 16 yds. gravel,	1 60
Morton Wheeler, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00
Albert Reed, 5 hrs. @ 40c,	2 00

Total,	\$37 15
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WEEK ENDING APRIL 9, 1938

Charles Messer, 24½ hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$31 85
Edwin Baker, 26½ hrs. @ 40c,	10 60
H. M. Brown, 3 yds. gravel,	30
Albert Reed, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
Charles Messer, 1 rake,	1 15

Total,	\$45 10
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WEEK ENDING APRIL 16, 1938

Charles Messer, 22 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$28 60
Edwin Baker, 22 hrs. @ 40c,	8 80
J. Fred Fredette, tractor 3 hrs.,	3 90
J. Fred Fredette, 8 yds. gravel,	80

Total,	\$42 10
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WEEK ENDING APRIL 30, 1938

Charles Messer, 6½ hrs. @ 40c,	\$2 60
H. M. Brown, 6½ hrs. @ 40c,	2 60

Lanson Brown, 6½ hrs. @ 40c,	2 60
Charles Messer, 16 hrs. @ \$1.30,	20 80
Carl Messer, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
Edwin Baker, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	4 00
Albert Reed, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	4 00
Charles Norcross, bolts,	50
Glen Britton, 10 lbs. spikes and 3 gal. kerosene,	83

Total, \$44 33

WEEK ENDING MAY 21, 1938

Charles Messer, 28 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$36 40
Edwin Baker, 32 hrs. @ 40c,	12 80
Arthur Messer, 30 hrs. @ 40c,	12 00
Glen Britton, 15 lbs. spikes,	75

Total, \$61 95

WEEK ENDING JUNE 4, 1938

Charles Messer, 20 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$26 00
Edwin Baker, 13 hrs. @ 40c,	5 20
Arthur Messer, 26 hrs. @ 40c,	10 40
Charles Messer, repairs on road machine and 2 shovels,	5 50

Total, \$47 10

WEEK ENDING JUNE 18, 1938

Charles Messer, 17 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$22 10
Edwin Baker, 3½ hrs. @ 40c,	1 40
H. M. Brown, 9 hrs. @ 40c,	3 60
Lanson Brown, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Arthur Messer, 27 hrs. @ 40c,	10 80
Charles Messer, 2 bags of cement,	1 40

Total, \$42 50

WEEK ENDING JULY 16, 1938

Charles Messer, 12 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$15 60
Arthur Messer, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80

Total, \$20 40

WEEK ENDING JULY 31, 1938

Charles Messer, 18 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$23 40
Arthur Messer, 18 hrs. @ 40c,	7 20
Edwin Baker, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
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	\$32 20

WEEK ENDING AUG. 6, 1938

Charles Messer, 28 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$36 40
Arthur Messer, 34 hrs. @ 40c,	13 60
Edwin Baker, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
Fred Fredette, 15 yds. gravel,	1 50
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Total,	\$54 30

WEEK ENDING AUG. 13, 1938

Charles Messer, 29 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$37 70
Edwin Baker, 29 hrs. @ 40c,	11 60
Carl Messer, 29 hrs. @ 40c,	11 60
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Total,	\$60 90

WEEK ENDING AUG. 27, 1938

Charles Messer, 27 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$35 10
Edwin Baker, 24 hrs. @ 40c,	9 60
Carl Messer, 27 hrs. @ 40c,	10 80
Galen Hall, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
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Total,	\$56 70

WEEK ENDING AUG. 27, 1938

Digging ditch by Mrs. Perry's house on Glebe road.

Charles Messer, 15 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$19 50
Edwin Baker, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
E. C. Greene, 7 hrs. @ 80c,	5 60
Carl Messer, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40

Morton Wheeler, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
Galen Hall, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20
Total,	<hr/> \$47 50

WEEK ENDING SEPT. 3, 1938

Charles Messer, 21 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$27 30
Edwin Baker, 30½ hrs. @ 40c,	12 20
Carl Messer, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
Galen Hall, 28 hrs. @ 40c,	11 20
E. C. Greene, 8 hrs. @ 80c,	6 40
Morton Wheeler, 3½ hrs. @ 40c,	1 40
Total,	<hr/> \$69 70

WEEK ENDING SEPT. 17, 1938

Charles Messer, 18 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$23 40
Carl Messer, 18 hrs. @ 40c,	7 20
Total,	<hr/> \$30 60

WORK ON ROAD AFTER SEPT. 21, 1938

Charles Messer, 30 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$39 00
Carl Messer, 27 hrs. @ 40c,	10 80
Lanson Brown, 7½ hrs. @ 40c,	3 00
Albert Reed, 23½ hrs. @ 40c,	9 40
Arthur Messer, 17 hrs. @ 40c,	6 80
Galen Hall, 2½ hrs. @ 40c,	1 00
Glen Beckwith, 22½ hrs. @ 40c,	9 00
Edwin Baker, 2½ hrs. @ 40c,	1 00
Elmer Parker, 16 hrs. @ 40c,	6 40
Morton Wheeler, 21½ hrs. @ 40c,	8 60
William Reed, 2 hrs. @ 40c,	80
Olin Reed, 2 hrs. @ 40c,	80
Total,	<hr/> \$96 60

WEEK ENDING OCT. 1, 1938

Charles Messer, 19 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$24 70
Glen Beckwith, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Edwin Baker, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
Carl Messer, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Arthur Messer, 19 hrs. @ 40c,	7 60
J. Fred Fredette, 10 yds. gravel,	60
V. Beckwith, 4 hemlock stringers,	4 00
Charles Messer, spikes,	35
Total,	<hr/> \$48 01

SNOW AND SANDING ACCOUNT, DEC. 3, 1938

Charles Messer, 22 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$28 60
Lanson Brown, 22 hrs. @ 40c,	8 80
Carl Marshall, 12 yds. sand,	1 20
Arthur Post, 8 yds. sand,	80
Total,	<hr/> \$39 40

WEEK ENDING DEC. 3, 1938

Charles Messer, plowing snow, 31 hrs. @ \$2.50,	\$77 50
Lanson Brown, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
H. M. Brown, 7 hrs. @ 40c,	2 80
J. Fred Fredette, 4 hrs. @ 80c	3 20
Fletcher Fredette, 4 hrs. @ 40c,	1 60
William Lane, including \$2.00 repair to plow, paid to Mr. Norcross,	10 90
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WEEK ENDING DEC. 17, 1938

Charles Messer, 23 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$29 90
Lanson Brown, 12 hrs. @ 40c,	4 80
Carl Messer, 10 hrs. @ 40c,	4 00
Edwin Baker, 3 hrs. @ 40c,	1 20
Albert Reed, 8 hrs. @ 40c,	3 20

H. M. Brown, 16 yds. sand,	1 60
Cheshire County Farm, 9 yds. sand,	90

\$45 60

WEEK ENDING JAN. 7, 1939

Charles Messer, 18 hrs. @ \$1.30,	\$23 40
Charles Messer, 5 hrs. @ \$2.50,	12 50
Carl Messer, 18 hrs. @ 40c,	7 20
Lanson Brown, 17 hrs. @ 40c,	6 80

\$49 90

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS
For Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1939

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LAWRENCE J. JOHNSON,
CHARLES H. ALDRICH,
ALBA W. ATHERTON,
Trustees.

February 1, 1939.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF WEST MORELAND, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1939

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1816	Jotham Lord Fund, as town may vote	Town Note	\$2,000.00	4%	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00	\$80.00
1817	Elphaleet Fox fund for schools	" "	1,000.00	4	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
1829	Town literary fund for schools	" "	1,772.67	6	106.36	106.36	106.36	106.36
1890	Henry Estey fund for cemetery lot	" "	891.67	4	35.67	35.67	35.67	35.67
1895	Charlotte West fund for cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	300.00	4	87.35	6.02	6.00	87.35
1914	Frank T. Cole fund for abandoned cemeteries	Town Note	500.00	4	14.72	20.00	23.80	10.92
	Gilne fund for cemetery lot	" "	132.00	4	2.05	5.28	7.33	7.33
	Julia Britton fund for cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	3	37.94	4.02	7.00	34.96
1904	Ephraim Hunt fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	26.39	2.00	2.50	25.89
	Luck E. Stratton fund for cemetery lot	" "	101.00	3	20.03	2.00	2.50	19.53
1907	Mary A. Graves fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	22.72	2.00	2.50	24.72
	Emily Estey fund for cemetery lot	" "	200.00	3	20.08	4.02	7.00	17.10
1908	Frank A. Ware fund for cemetery lot	Town Note	100.00	4	24.83	4.00	2.50	26.33
	Louisa F. Shelley fund for cemetery lot	" "	50.00	4	4.54	2.00	2.00	4.54
1917	Martha Wood Burt fund for library	" "	500.00	4	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
1918	Oliver L. Briggs fund for library	Savings Bank of Walpole	1,000.00	3	60.45	60.45	60.45	60.45
1918	Oliver L. Briggs fund for Christmas	" "	20.00	3	30.83	30.83	30.83	30.83
1918	Oliver L. Briggs fund for cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	3	52.85	6.05	6.05	58.90
1920	J. E. Buffum fund for cemetery lot	" "	101.00	3	22.68	3.02	2.50	23.20
1919	Laura Kennedy fund for cemetery lot	" "	50.00	3	5.80	1.50	1.00	6.30
1920	Curtis G. Britton fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	1.78	3.02	4.00	.80
1920	Manley P. Horton fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	23.83	3.02	2.50	24.35
1923	Earl Warren fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	23.69	3.02	2.50	24.21
1925	Sabrina Aldrich fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	1.15	3.02	3.00	.17
1925	Agnes B. Pierce fund for cemetery lot	" "	50.00	3	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
1925	Eli C. Wellington fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	15.72	3.02	2.50	16.24
1928	William J. Hall fund for cemetery lot	Savings Bank of Walpole	100.00	3	4.21	3.02	3.00	4.23
1928	Adeline M. Barrows fund for cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	100.00	3	11.77	3.02	3.00	14.79
1929	Adeline C. Buffum fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	5.71	3.02	2.50	6.23
1929	Martha A. Aldrich fund for cemetery lot	Savings Bank of Walpole	100.00	3	1.04	3.02	3.00	1.56
1929	Jasper Hall fund for cemetery lot	" "	200.00	3	35.06	6.05	3.00	38.11
1930	Charles Hagar fund for cemetery lot	Savings Bank of Walpole	100.00	3	.33	3.02	3.00	.35

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1939

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1930	Fannie E. Cole fund for cemetery lot	Savings Bank of Walpole	100.00	3	5.14	3.02	2.50	5.11
1932	Isa M. Capron fund for cemetery lot	" "	50.00	3		1.50	1.50	
1932	Carroll F. Capron fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	.54	3.02	3.00	.56
1932	Mary Callahan fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	3.43	3.02	4.50	1.95
1932	Edgar F. Dean fund for cemetery lot	" "	150.00	3	1.19	4.53	4.50	1.22
1932	Richard D. Greene fund for cemetery lot	" "	250.00	3	13.57	7.55	8.00	13.12
1932	Edward Smith fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	7.60	3.02	2.50	8.12
1934	Nellie C. Holman fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	6.17	3.02	3.00	6.19
1934	Cornelia E. Leach fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	1.04	3.02	3.00	1.06
1934	Charles L. Craig fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	.54	3.02	3.00	.56
1935	William S. Starkey gift fund for needy	Town Note	5,000.00	4		200.00	200.00	
1935	William S. Starkey gift fund for needy	" "	1,500.00	4		60.00	60.00	
1935	William S. Starkey gift fund for needy	" "	1,000.00	4		23.33	23.33	
1935	William S. Starkey gift fund for needy	" "	100.66	4		18.29	18.29	
1935	Ralph E. Proctor fund for cemetery lot	Savings Bank of Walpole	200.00	3	8.12	6.05	3.00	11.17
1935	Mary E. Sargent fund for cemetery lot	" "	136.18	3	3.06	4.11	4.50	2.67
1937	Charles H. Park fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	2.25	3.02	3.00	2.27
1937	Lolla R. Burt fund for cemetery lot	" "	100.00	3	7.73	3.02	3.00	5.77
1937	Ellis Abbott fund for cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	200.00	3		6.05		9.55
1938	Frank E. Aldrich fund for cemetery lot	Savings Bank of Walpole	200.00	3	3.50	4.52		4.52
Totals from page 1					\$17.68	\$328.39	\$312.12	\$33.95
Grand totals					607.85	507.69	496.61	618.93
					\$625.53	\$836.08	\$808.73	\$652.88

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES

For Year Ending January 31, 1939

East Westmoreland Cemetery Association,	\$50 00
Galen Hall, cemetery work,	8 80
Clyde Kenyon, cemetery work,	10 00
L. J. Johnson, cemetery work,	5 00
Lawrence C. Burt, cemetery work,	43 00
W. H. Parker, cemetery work,	17 00
Anna Britton, library trustee,	80 00
Anna Britton, library trustee,	80 45
Neva Hulett, Briggs Christmas fund,	30 83
Ruth H. Burt, school treasurer,	182 03
Town of Westmoreland, interest on Starkey fund for needy,	301 62
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	\$808 73

LAWRENCE J. JOHNSON,
 CHARLES H. ALDRICH,
 ALBA W. ATHERTON,
 Trustees of Trust Funds.

REPORT OF THE BRIGGS CHRISTMAS FUND

Committee for 1938

Interest on fund,	\$30 83
Expense of committee,	\$3 00
Amount spent for gifts,	17 17
For candy boxes,	1 27
Peanuts,	2 70
40 lbs. candy,	5 20
Wrapping paper and twine,	40
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	\$29 74
Balance on hand,	1 09
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	\$30 83
Number on list,	147

NEVA E. HULETT,
DORA L. ATHERTON,
Committee.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Balance from last year,	\$2 83
Dues collected since Feb. 4, 1938,	4 62
Contributions,	1 27
	<hr/> \$8 72

EXPENDITURES

World Topics',	\$ 72
Postage,	18
N. H. L. A. dues,	1 00
2 National order books,	50
Librarians' certificate,	50
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\$8 72

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Balance,	\$5 82
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BRANCH LIBRARY REPORT—East Westmoreland

Number of patrons,	50
Number of books taken from Westmoreland library,	283
Number of books issued,	515

WESTMORELAND LIBRARY REPORT

Number of patrons,	280
Total number of books issued,	4,120
Number of books in library,	4,524

BOOKS PRESENTED

State books,	14
Mrs. Mary K. Ward,	1
Mrs. Victor Bador,	1
Mrs. Lillian Graves,	15
Mrs. Shirley Whitlock,	2
Mrs. H. Bramwell Shaw,	8
Mrs. Grace E. Chamberlain,	6

DOROTHY RHODES,

Librarian.

REPORT OF WESTMORELAND LIBRARY TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1938,	\$56 29
Income from Jothan Lord fund,	80 00
Ellen Cobb, contribution,	1 00
Town appropriation,	30 00
Income from Martha Wood Burt fund,	20 00
Income from Briggs' fund,	60 45

\$247 74

EXPENDITURES

Salary of librarian, Dorothy Rhodes,	
52 afternoons and 8 evenings,	\$60 00
Salary of janitor, O. W. Billings,	13 00
A. B. Palmer, insurance,	14 00
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	15 04
Public Service Co., lights,	12 00
G. H. Tilden & Co., 60 books,	89 95
Roger Bridgeman, repairs,	5 72

\$209 71

Cash on hand to balance account,	38 03
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\$247 74

ANNA B. BRITTON,
Library Treasurer.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES REPORT

The increase in the number of borrowers and increase in circulation is, we trust, a sign of healthy growth.

An interesting and very successful experiment, sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association, has been conducted in East Westmoreland. Two members of the Association have made themselves responsible for the circulation and collection of the books. Sixty books have been borrowed at one time for a period of six weeks and these distributed among the neighbors. At the end of the six week period these books are returned to the Library and a new selection circulated. It has been a source of great enjoyment to the readers and has brought the Library to that end of the Town. The Librarian and Committee are more than willing to cooperate with any responsible organization in any other parts of town not conveniently located in relation to the Library, should they desire to have a similar experiment.

The Library was again open for eight evenings during the summer months and that this service was appreciated, was evidenced by the increase in the number of readers.

The Committee take this opportunity to express their deep appreciation to all the good friends of the Library who have helped in any way toward the effective service of the Library during the current year.

ANNA B. BRITTON,
ELLEN E. COBB,
EDITH F. BRIDGEMAN,
Library Trustees.

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Briggs Christmas Committee, Tax Collector, Library Trustees, Librarian and Road Agents, Trustees of Public Fund and Trustee of Cemetery Funds. We find them correct and properly vouched.

OSCAR W. BILLINGS,
ROGER L. BRIDGEMAN,
Auditors.

Westmoreland, N. H., Feb. 8, 1939.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the school district in the town of Westmoreland qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said district on the 11th day of March 1939, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officer or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alterations in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to renew the contract with Brattleboro School District for payment of high school tuition.

10. To see if the district will vote to pay the amount asked by the Union School District of Keene for the payment of high school tuition and authorize the school board to make a contract for the same.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Westmoreland, this 11th day of February, 1939.

EDWARD C. GREENE,
LAWRENCE J. JOHNSON,
CAMERON L. PAINE,
School Board.

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

EDWARD C. GREENE,
LAWRENCE J. JOHNSON,
CAMERON L. PAINE,
School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WESTMORELAND FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1937-1938

RECEIPTS

State aid:		\$4,058 76
Income from local taxation:		
Support of elementary schools,	\$4,570 45	
Payment of high school tuition,	2,625 00	
Salaries district officers,	150 00	
School census,	10 00	
Superintendent's salary,	280 00	
Per capita tax,	360 00	
Other obligations,	100 00	
		<hr/> \$8,095 45
From sources other than taxes:		
Dog licenses,	\$150 40	
Income from trust funds,	182 03	
Other receipts,	10 18	
		<hr/> \$342 61
Total receipts,		<hr/> \$12,496 82
Cash on hand, July 1, 1937,		81 77
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Grand total,		\$12,578 59

PAYMENTS

Administration:

Salaries of district officers,	\$150 00
Superintendent's salary,	280 00
School census,	10 00
Expenses of administration,	17 81

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries,	4,610 00
Text books,	138 28
Scholar supplies,	146 06
Flags and appurtenances,	7 95
Other expenses of instruction,	33 73

Operation and maintenance:

Janitor service,	421 47
Fuel,	212 35
Water, light, janitor supplies,	154 03
Minor repairs,	187 47

Auxiliary agencies and special activities:

Health supervision,	342 02
Transportation of pupils,	1,130 00
High school tuition,	2,646 98
Other special activities,	34 54

Fixed charges:

Per capita tax,	360 00
Insurance and other fixed charges,	51 05
New equipment,	60 00

Total payments,	\$10,993 74
Cash on hand June 30, 1938,	1,584 85

Grand total,	\$12,578 59
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ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE YEAR 1937-1938

Salaries of district officers:

Edward C. Greene,	\$45 00
Cameron L. Paine,	35 00
Lawrence J. Johnson,	35 00
Ruth H. Burt,	35 00
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	\$150 00

Superintendent's excess salary:

Gordon Kimball, state treasurer,	\$280 00
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School census:

Vera McClenning,	\$10 00
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Expenses of administration:

Charles D. Dalzell,	\$7 35
Ruth H. Burt,	4 66
C. E. Sparhawk,	4 40
C. L. Paine,	1 40
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	\$17 81

Teachers' salaries:

Arline Lund,	\$800 00
Florence Stone,	925 00
Dorothy Gary,	925 00
Laura Edney,	925 00
Marion Bassett,	185 00
Evelyn Pedersen,	850 00
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	\$4,610 00

Text books:

Scott Foresman & Co.,	\$5 96
J. B. Lippincott Co.,	3 10
Newson & Co.,	1 02

D. C. Heath Co.,	3 29
Webster Pub. Co.,	18 98
The MacMillan Co.,	4 59
Charles E. Merrill Co.,	52 19
Bukley-Cardy Co.,	67
Ginn & Co.,	9 58
L. W. Singer Co.,	24 04
Row, Petersen Co.,	14 86
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	\$138 28

Scholars' supplies:

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$72 89
Mt. Kilburn Paper Co.,	5 10
Milton Bradley Co.,	17 88
Philip H. James,	12 90
J. L. Hammett,	14 95
Henry S. Wolkins Co.,	9 42
Newson & Co.,	71
Gledhill Bros. Inc.,	6 96
C. A. Gregory Co.,	5 25
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	\$146 06

Flags and appurtenances:

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$4 00
Philip H. James,	3 95
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	\$7 95

Other expenses of instruction:

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$1 64
Webster Pub. Co.,	2 80
H. R. Tucker,	13 29
The Circle Book Co.,	3 87
World Book Co.,	1 30
Howard & Brown Co.,	5 95

Houghton & Simons,	1 88
E. J. Plantier,	3 00

\$33 73

Janitor service:

Vera McClenning,	\$7 25
Forrest F. Hall, Jr.,	3 00
Charles H. Norcross,	163 72
Hiram Woodward,	114 00
Lester Hall,	61 50
William French,	72 00

\$421 47

Fuel:

Cameron L. Paine,	\$97 50
Leon McClenning,	5 00
Leonard D. Warren,	70
Charles W. Messer,	61 50
Cheshire Oil Co.,	4 75
Kenneth Rounds,	27 50
Charles H. Norcross,	15 40

\$212 35

Water, light, and janitor supplies:

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$10 43
Mt. Kilburn Paper Co.,	19 50
Masury-Young Co.,	2 33
Mrs. L. W. Churchill,	17 80
Leonard D. Warren,	4 85
Rochester Germicide Co.,	46 15
Public Service Co. of N. H.,	50 40
Charles Norcross,	1 82
Charles D. Dalzell,	75

\$154 03

Minor repairs and expenses:

Edward C. Greene,	\$35 64
Elmer H. Turner,	3 50
Alice Goodrum,	9 00
Charles H. Harris,	2 00
Arthur C. Messer,	34 60
L. J. Johnson,	23 65
W. J. French,	2 50
Cameron L. Paine,	2 50
Charles H. Norcross,	9 60
W. C. Scovell,	14 00
Spencer Hardware Co.,	11 90
Edward E. Babb Co.,	5 75
Gale Hill,	1 25
Robert Minkler,	1 00
Pearson Bros.,	22 95
Knowlton & Stone,	2 43
Perley Wilcox,	2 20
Hiram Woodward,	3 00
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	\$187 47

Health supervision:

E. C. Greene, Union treasurer,	\$340 00
C. C. Davis Drug Co.,	2 02
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	\$342 02

Transportation:

Edward C. Greene,	\$311 50
Amos Hatt,	197 00
Elton Stoddard,	265 50
L. W. Churchill,	356 00
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	\$1,130 00

High school tuition:

Walpole school district,	\$210 00
Brattleboro school district,	300 00
Harold O. Chandler, treasurer,	2,136 98
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	\$2,646 98

Other special activities:

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$2 50
Leonard D. Warren,	32 04
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	\$34 54

Insurance:

G. H. Aldrich & Sons,	\$24 38
A. B. Palmer,	26 67
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	\$51 05

Per capita tax:

Gordon Kimball, state treasurer,	\$360 00
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New equipment:

Walter B. Conant,	\$60 00
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This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Westmoreland School Board and District Treasurer, and have found them correct and properly vouched.

ELLEN A. HALL,

Auditor.

**TEMPORARY FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL
DISTRICT OF WESTMORELAND**

From July 1, 1938 to Feb. 1, 1939

REVENUE

Balance on hand July 1, 1938,	\$1,584 85
From selectmen :	
School appropriation 1938-1939,	3,400 00
Interest on Trust Funds,	182 03
From state :	
State aid, equalization fund,	3,171 88
From East Westmoreland, Men's club, use of lights,	2 00
From J. Fred Fredette,	11 28
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$8,352 04

EXPENDITURES

Salaries of district officers,	\$153 06
Superintendent's salary,	295 00
School census,	10 00
Expenses of administration,	9 25
Teachers' salaries,	2,163 10
Text books,	114 15
Scholars' supplies,	63 29
Flags and appurtenances,	2 00
Other expenses of instruction,	8 45
Janitor service,	243 83
Fuel,	236 55
Water, light, and janitor supplies,	100 76
Minor repairs,	310 57
Health supervision,	350 31
Transportation,	601 67
High school tuition,	1,034 74

Other special activities,	31 02
Insurance,	82 50
New equipment,	10 45
Per capita tax,	308 00
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Total expenditures,	\$6,128 64
Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1939,	\$2,223 40
Balance in hands of selectmen,	3,713 34
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Amount available with which to run schools until July 1, 1939,	\$5,936 74

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1939-1940

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	Elementary	Totals
Support of schools:		
Teachers' salaries,	\$4,475 00	
Text books,	120 00	
Scholars' supplies,	145 00	
Flags, etc.,	10 00	
Other expenses of instruction,	15 00	
Janitor service,	425 00	
Fuel,	225 00	
Water, light, etc.,	150 00	
Minor repairs, etc.,	175 00	
Health supervision,	340 00	
Transportation,	1,150 00	
Other special activities,	40 00	
		\$7,270 00
Other statutory requirements:		
Salaries of district officers,	\$150 00	
Truant officer and census,	10 00	
High school tuition,	3,030 00	
Superintendent's salary,	310 00	
Per capita tax,	292 00	
Other obligations (insurance),	80 00	
		\$3,872 00
Total amount required to meet S. B. budget,		\$11,142 00

ESTIMATE INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1939,	\$739 51
State aid, estimate,	2,930 49
Dog tax, estimate,	150 00
Other estimated income Trust Funds,	182 03
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	\$4,002 03
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Assessment required to balance S. B. budget,	\$7,139 97

EDWARD C. GREENE,
 LAWRENCE J. JOHNSON,
 CAMERON L. PAINE,
 School Board.

REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1938

SUMMARY

Cash on hand June 30, 1937,	\$81 77
Received from selectmen:	
Appropriations for current year,	\$6,647 46
Balance of previous appropriation,	1,447 99
Dog tax,	150 40
Income from trust funds,	182 03
Received from state equalization fund,	4,058 76
Received from all other sources,	10 18
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin: 0 auto;"/> \$12,496 82
Total receipts,	\$12,578 59
Less school board orders drawn,	10,993 74
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Balance on hand June 30, 1938,	\$1,584 85

RUTH H. BURT,

District treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Westmoreland, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938 and find them correct in all respects.

ELLEN A. HALL,

Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Westmoreland:

I herewith submit my annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

ORGANIZATION AND ENROLLMENT

Changes in the teaching positions were made as follows:

Miss Evelyn Pedersen was transferred from East Westmoreland to the upper grade position at the village.

Miss Norma Nichols was elected as the new teacher at East Westmoreland. Miss Nichols is a graduate of the elementary curriculum at Keene Normal School.

The school year consists of a total of 180 days including the days on which the teachers are present at conventions. Because of the large number of holidays which must be observed during the year, the school year extends over a thirty-eight week period. Days lost on account of storm have been made up on days agreeable to the School Board.

The Union School District of Keene has issued notification of a graduated advancement in the high school tuition rate as follows: 1939-40—\$80.00, 1940-41—\$90.00, 1941-42 and thereafter—\$100.00. It should be generally understood by the citizens that the school board may not pay for high school tuition an amount in excess of the average cost of instruction unless a contract for this amount is authorized at the district meeting. It should also be understood that failure of the district to authorize a contract will mean that the parents of the pupils attending Keene High School will be compelled to pay the difference between the average cost of instruction and the tuition rate as established.

The organization and program of our schools have undergone many changes. We have come to realize more and more that the educational program must be a flexible living thing which grows, expands, or changes to meet the needs of the changes in our social and economic life. One of the most significant trends has been the shifting of emphasis from subject matter to child development. It is now generally believed that the value of content in all courses should be measured in terms of its value in the life of the growing child. As a result of a study of the real needs of life, much new material has been added to the program while much that has become obsolete has been eliminated.

A reading program has developed which more nearly meets the needs of children according to their varying levels of ability. The newer teaching methods in reading recognize the importance of guiding the growth of children in accordance with their degree of readiness and background rather than emphasizing unified performance in the acquisition of specific knowledge. It is now possible for the teacher to ascertain which of her pupils are ready to read and which ones are not. The application of simple tests may lead the teacher to discover difficulties or defects which must be overcome before much progress in reading can be made. Books for the primary reading classes as now composed and illustrated appeal to the interest of the children and the simple thoughts expressed may be interpreted in terms of their own experience.

In arithmetic also there is a tendency to emphasize operations that have value in the experiences of real life. Consequently many impractical problems and exercises have been replaced by extended practice in more useful and practical material.

The words used in the spelling lessons have been selected as a result of investigations which have been conducted to determine their proper grade placement. A correlation has been established between the words used in spelling and those included in the reading vocabulary.

The aim in history as taught in the lower grades is to build up background through the child's natural interest in people and simple social customs. It is now accepted practice in the upper grades to emphasize the cultural contributions of each civilization rather than the strictly chronological treatment of wars and dynasties.

The change in attitude regarding discipline indicates, I believe, one of the most wholesome trends in modern education. The movement has been in the direction of humanity and common sense and is an important indication of the greater respect for the personality of the child.

Several changes have been made in the general testing program as a result of suggestions proposed by the teachers. The revised program should more fully meet our needs as a basis for remedial instruction designed to correct deficiencies in the fundamental processes.

ENROLLMENT, JANUARY 15, 1939

School	Teacher	Enrollment
Village Advanced	Evelyn Pedersen	22
Village Primary	Arline Lund	15
East Westmoreland	Norma Nichols	22
Depot School	Florence Stone	14
Corner School	Laura Edney	19
		—
Total		92

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

The following repairs and improvements were made at the various schools during the year:

The roof of the village school building was shingled on the south and east sides. The furnace was overhauled.

The exterior of the Depot School building was painted.

A set of book shelves was built at the Corner School and a teacher's desk was provided. A set of wall maps was added to the equipment of the room.

A new electric clock and desk lamp were installed at East Westmoreland.

HEALTH

Health inspection in Westmoreland showed the following defects:

- 91 pupils were inspected.
- 2 pupils showed defective hearing.
- 2 pupils showed defective vision uncorrected.
- 4 pupils showed poor posture.
- 12 pupils were underweight.
- 61 pupils were in need of dental care.
- 7 pupils were unvaccinated without proper excuse.
- 5 pupils were recommended to have throat and nose examined by a physician.

Dental clinics were held at Westmoreland Point on December 31, 1938. At East Westmoreland February 10th and 11th, 1938. At South Village June 3d and January 9th. The following work was done:

Number of pupils treated,	68
Total number of cleanings,	47
Total number of extractions,	37
Total number of amalgam fillings,	58
Total number of porcelain fillings,	5

At Westmoreland Point the P. T. A. paid for all the work. At East Westmoreland the P. T. A. paid for one-half the bill and the parents paid the balance. At South Village each child paid fifty cents and the P. T. A. paid the balance.

- 3 pupils had their teeth cared for by their own dentist.
- 1 pupil had special eye examination and defect corrected.
- 1 tonsil case was treated privately.

- 2 tonsil cases were treated at clinics.
- 3 pupils were vaccinated successfully.

Much time is spent by the school nurse each year in home and business calls.

The school nurse wishes to express appreciation to the Parent Teacher Associations for the assistance given in carrying on the work in the dental clinics.

STATISTICAL REPORT 1937-1938

Total registration,	113
Average membership,	88.76
Percentage of attendance,	96.17
Cases of tardiness,	220
Number of pupils not absent or tardy,	7

There has been a decrease in the total registration for the year. A very marked improvement has been made in the records of attendance and tardiness. I wish to express appreciation to the teachers for their efforts and to the parents and pupils for their interest and cooperation in making this improvement possible.

I wish to thank the members of the Parent-Teacher Associations and other friends of the schools who have in so many ways continued to manifest their interest in the welfare of the schools during the year.

I wish to express appreciation for the cooperation which I have received during the year from members of the school board, teachers, parents and pupils.

Respectfully submitted,
 CHARLES D. DALZELL,
 Superintendent of Schools.

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1938

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Laying or Female.	Male or Stillborn.							
Jan. 26	Henry Edmond	M	L	1 Edmond F. Woods	Virginia Brown	Woolen business	Redmond, Ore	West Swanzev	31	24
Feb. 7	Joan Adele	M	L	7 Harold M. Frye	Helen Follansbee	Minister	Plaistow	Enfield	40	39
Mar. 16	John Lavon, Jr.	M	L	3 John L. Dunbar	Sabra C. Aldrich	Farm hand	N Manchester, Ind	Williamstown, Vt.	43	35
Apr. 9	Caroline Emily	M	L	5 Charles I. Staples	Martha Aldrich	Farm laborer	Keene	Westmoreland, Vt.	32	29
May 4	William Albert	M	L	3 Leon E. McClelling	Nellie Davidson	Truck driver	Jaffrey	Westminster, Vt.	31	
July 15	Davis Samuel	M	L	3 Samuel D. Riley	Florence Perham	Farmer	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Spofford	37	34
" 24	Gene Freeman	M	L	1 Theron J. Christian	Dorothy Rowe	Farmer	Cantonbury, Conn.	Keene	27	22
" 26	Ronald David	M	L	1 Leonard Patterson	Loretta Gourley	Truck driver	Keene	Keene	22	21
Aug. 3	Emily Thurston	F	L	1 H. Bramwell Shaw, Jr.	Elizabeth Young	Farmer	Keene, Mass.	Keene	32	36
Nov. 9	Mary Metcalfe	F	L	2 Roger L. Bridgeman	Edith Fair	Architect	New York, N. Y.	New York, N. Y.	41	40
" 14	Barbara Ann	F	L	3 J. Kenneth Fredette	Hazel Forbes	Truck driver	Westmoreland	Hudson Fts. N. Y.	24	21
" 21	Rodney Edwin	M	L	6 Galen Hall	Thelma Baker	Laborer	Walpole	Winchester,	38	29
Dec. 28	Norman Richard	M	L	4 Charles S. Winchester	Eva White	Section hand	Westmoreland	Westmoreland	50	34
**										
Feb. 20	Neil Arthur	M	L	3 Loren E. Livengood	Bertha D. Beteau	Truck driver	Wayne Town, Ind.	Bartonsville, Vt.	36	28
Apr. 16	Walter Donald	M	L	5 Walter E. Blair	Pauline Lamoureux	Laborer	Harrisville	Marlboro	28	26
" 20	Arnold Earl	M	L	1	Mildred L. Fassett			Westmoreland	22	22
June 22	Glenn William	M	L	4 Ross Campbell	Susie DeLong	Blacksmith	Monsella, Me.	Westmoreland, N. B.	34	28
July 4		F	S	1	Elsie Heath			E. Northfield, Ms.	15	15
" 20	Cynthia May	F	L	1	Virginia Richardson			Concord	25	19
Sept. 29	Theresa Mary	F	L	3 Raymond Croteau	Irene Trudelle	Laborer	Marlboro	Harrisville	31	31
" 30	Phyllis Kendall	F	L	6 Oscar Thayer	Grace Bright	Laborer	Vernon, Vt.	Malden, Mass.	31	31

**Born at Cheshire County Hospital.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1938

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom mar- ried.
Jan. 14	Westmoreland	Fred M. Chalfant	Middlebury, Vt.	26	Mgr feed store	Centerburg, O.	Ray Chalfant	Centerburg, O.	1st	Rv H M Frye
		Junette E. Oberg	Eagle P'd, Minn	21	At home	Eagle Bend, Minn	Maud Faulk	Frederick't'n, O.	1st	Westmoreland
Apr. 23	Keene	Floyd E. Gerrish	Westmoreland	23	Laborer	Northwood	Sanfred Oberg	Sweden	1st	Westmoreland
		June L. Kenyon	Westmoreland	18	At home	Westmoreland	Kate Nelson	Sweden	1st	Rv W E Smith
June 24	Walpole	Arne V. Hunninen	Hartford, Ct.	34	Teacher	Quincy, Mass.	Frank Gerrish	Northwood	1st	Keene
		Mabel Louise Coles	Westmoreland	22	At home	Keene	Lettie A. Towle	Haverhill, Ms.	1st	Rv R M L Holt
Aug. 21	Westmoreland	Frank E. Cutler	Westmoreland	52	Carpenter	W. Bolton, Vt.	Bertha M. Christ'n	Canterbury, Ct.	1st	Walpole
		Rosamond P. Cutler	Keene	47	Cook	Bell's Falls, Vt	Simon Hunninen	Mahopak, N. Y.	1st	Walpole
Nov. 5	Westmoreland	Olin E. Reed	Westmoreland	23	Woodsmen	Cavendish, Vt.	Elsie Vaananen	Finland	1st	Rv H M Frye
		Lillian M. V. Gocha	Gilsum	20	Housework	Gardner, Ms.	William Coles	Amherst, Ms.	1st	Westmoreland
Nov. 24	Charlestown	Michael G. Finn, Jr.	Athol, Ms.	28	Steel tester	Athol, Ms.	Ruth Barker	Orange, Vt	1st	Westmoreland
		Ellen A. Starkey	Westmoreland	20	At home	Westmoreland	Emma J. Streeter	W. Bolton, Vt.	2d	Westmoreland
Nov. 24	Brattleboro, Vt.	Felix R. Renaud	Guilford, Vt.	24	Spinner	Greylock, Ms.	May E. Bridge	Hatfield, Ms.	2d	Westmoreland
		Dorothy A. Bitner	Westmoreland	20	At home	Flint, Mich.	William H. Reed	Bridgewater, Vt.	1st	Rv H M Frye
							Florence LaBounty	Andover, Vt.	1st	Westmoreland
							John L. Gocha	Springfield, Vt.	1st	Westmoreland
							Lillian A. Minart	Gardner, Ms.	1st	Rv T W Cushing
							Michael G. Finn	New Brnswick	1st	Charlestown
							Edwina Hebert	Quebec	1st	Charlestown
							Bertha L. Jarvis	Westmoreland	1st	Charlestown
							Zephyr Renaud	Westmoreland	1st	Charlestown
							Nettie Monmany	Windsor, Ont.	1st	Rv J P Rand
							Edward Bitter	Marquette, Mich	1st	Brattleboro, Vt
							Parmelia Bord	Holyoke, Ms.	1st	Brattleboro, Vt

*What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1938

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age		Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.		Days.	S. M. W. Male or Female.	Father.	Mother.		
1938										
Feb. 7	Cora Lizzie Shelley	71	9	22	Westminster, Vt.	F	M	Westmoreland	Orman Holden	Adeline Dunton
" 10	Francis Elmer Lund	18	8	10	Gilsun	M	S E. Averill, Vt.	Williamstown, Vt.	Selden Lund	Mamie Keith
Mar. 19	John L. Dunbar, Jr.	60	4	18	Westmoreland	M	S N. Manches'r, Ind	Gilsun	John L. Dunbar	Sabra M. Cross
Apr. 24	Miles J. Bingham	67	2	17	Gilsun	F	M		Joseph Bingham	Lella McCoy
" 27	Lucy Dunn	87	0	0		M	W			
June 26	Clarence E. Watkins	89	6	0	Walpole	M	W			
Oct. 24	Lilla E. Leach	76	9	24	Dummerston, Vt.	F	W	Dummerston, Vt.	George F. Kathan	Eliza Ware
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Mar. 5	Hazel A. Fredette	1	4	8	Walpole	F	S	Westmoreland	J. Kenneth Fredette	Hazel A. Forbes
Apr. 30	Jennie M. Nichols	84	3	3	Chesterfield	F	W	Swanzy	Lewis Leach	Emily Hill
July 13	Mary F. Teer	32	7	16		F	M		Charles Norcross	Gertrude Crouch
Aug. 15	Mabel E. Nims	56	1	18	Westmoreland	F	S	Westmoreland	Elmer Nims	Elnora Leach
" 16	June J. Barlow	28				F				
Sept. 2	Frederick W. Holman	81	11	3	Chesterfield	M	W	Chesterfield	William Holman	Mary H. Higgins

*Single, married or widowed. **Brought to town for burial.

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Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age		Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	
		Years.	Months.		Days.	Male or Female.	S., M., W.	Father.			Mother.
1938											
Jan. 1	Catherine A. Hope	26	1	Keene	F	M	Winchester	Hinsdale	Samuel Thompson	Nancy McCaughern	
Jan. 4	Frank Diens	87	11	Canada	M	W	Canada	Canada	Wallace Kenney	Tid Pierce	
Feb. 10	Lillian Kenney	76	4	Nova Scotia	F	M	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	Irvin Russ	Hulda Carey	
Mar. 2	George Russ	84	9	Hartford, Vt.	M	W	Hartford, Vt.	Hartford, Vt.			
" 5	Amika Parkila	70	1	Finland	F	W	Finland	Finland			
" 7	John Prentice	81	10	Winchester	M	W	Grafton, Mass.	Winchester	Elbridge Prentice	Lestiny Read	
" 22	Edwin James Bates	62	6	Swansey	M	M	Chesterfield	Swansey	Lucius D. Bates	Julia Crown	
" 23	Lena Pande	76	8	Clarendon	F	M	Canada	Ireland	John Tibodeau	Rose Marsten	
" 28	Thomas McCabe	70	11	Nor. Adams, Ms.	M	S	Ireland	Marlboro	Thomas McCabe	Achsh Gates	
Apr. 23	Walter Morse	77	11	Marlboro	M	W	Dublin	Vermont	Granville Morse	Mary Clapper	
May 8	Ernest Parker	70	5	Higgate, Vt.	M	W	Vermont	Vermont	Sidney Parker	Mary Clapper	
" 13	Frank Crossman	75	8	Johnston, Vt.	M	S	Vermont	Vermont	Sullivan Crossman	Mary Litch	
June 10	John Fulton	0	0	Roxbury	F	W	United States	E. Northfield, Ms.	George Bragg	Elsie Heath	
July 1	George Bragg, Jr.	77	1	Westmoreland	F	W	United States	United States	John McAuliff	Mary E. Davis	
" 28	Jack McAuliff	84	1	Chesterfield	M	W	Ireland	Ireland	John T. Welch	Hannah Delaney	
" 31	William Welch	84	1	Lowell, Mass.	M	S	Ireland	Canada	John T. Welch	Winifred Kenen	
Aug. 4	Fred Goodrich	72	11	Northfield, Mass.	M	W	Norwich, Vt.	Norwich, Vt.	Lorenzo Goodrich	Cissy Eastman	
" 4	Arthur Richardson	20	6	West Norwich, Vt.	M	W	Norwich, Vt.	Dublin	Justin Richardson	Caroline Perry	
" 5	Wilbur L. Blossom	68	11	Jaffrey	M	D	Woodstock, Vt.	Reading, Vt.	Livi E. Blossom	Sarah P. Gates	
" 9	George Farmer	77	8	Marlboro	M	W	Marlboro	Marlboro	Ostin Farmer	Endline Collins	
" 17	Mary L. Wheeler	71	1	Fitzwilliam	F	M	Scotland, Mass.	Fitzwilliam	Dugald Campbell	Mary J. Stone	
" 23	Addie N. Cameron	68	5	Groton, Mass.	F	M	Groton, Mass.	Groton, Mass.	Simon Nutting	Sarah	
Sept. 10	Maurice Leen	69	8	Ireland	M	M	Ireland	Ireland	John Patrick Leen	Katherine Barry	
" 27	Edith Anna Simmons	65	3	Liverpool, Eng.	F	M	Scotland	Scotland	Robert MacTurk	Jessie Bryson	
Oct. 17	Duncan McIntyre	22	3	Cape Breton, N. S.	M	S	Nova Scotia	Ireland	Lughlin McIntyre	Susan Wilson	
Nov. 16	Lillian M. Dinsmore	65	1	Boston, Mass.	F	M	Harvard, Mass.	Marblehead, Ms.	Joseph Blood	Abbie Sibson	
Dec. 14	Clifton Chambers	65	10	Belountain, Ohio	M	M	Harvard, Mass.	Marblehead, Ms.	Joseph Chambers	Mary Douglas	

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I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RUTH E. BURT,
Town Clerk.

